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25X1A 1. Mr. Sprankle, Chief Clerk of the House Appropriations Committee, called to ask what our opinion was of Mr. [redacted] 25X1A  
[redacted] who was recommended to the Committee as a possible consultant. I informed Mr. Sprankle that I did not know what official views we might have on the subject, but that I had known [redacted] 25X1A  
slightly for sometime and that I personally had a favorable impression of him. I pointed out, however, that [redacted] was at best a highly 25X1A  
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certain elements due to his activities in Europe. I also indicated that his tenure at NCFE had been short-lived.

2. Sen. Knowland, Acting Majority Leader and Chairman of the Republican Policy Committee, is planning a trip to the Far East, including Formosa, in September or October. It is recommended that we offer a full briefing to Sen. Knowland.

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